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STRIKING TRUCKMEN

Same Near Making Delegates to the Convention Do Without Baggage.

Denver, Colo., May 18.—The National Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen met in Coliseum hall in this city today between six and seven hundred delegates were present when Master Morrissey rapped for the sessions of the convention private and it is expected will continue over two weeks.

WITCHMEN IN CONVENTION.

Question of Joining American Federation of Labor Will Come Up. Grand Master Hawley Will Be Re-elected.

Indianapolis, Ind., May 18.—The National Convention of Switchmen's Union of America, opened today in Mason hall, in an open session. The convention was called to order by Williamson, of the local lodge. Switchmen were represented by Van H. Wilson, secretary and president, who delivered an address, arousing considerable enthusiasm.

JOSE FOWLER WILL BOB UP.

Lawyers and Relatives Are Closely Looking After His Interests.

Chicago, O., May 18.—Prosecutor Joseph Fowler, who is supposed to have been taken to France, is expected to appear in court here today. His name has been changed to George Hoagland, and he is supposed to have made a will that cut off his father. Attorneys for the Duhamel claim that Moses was sane when his name was changed and appeared in court here even after he was taken to France.

RUSSIA HURT BY INGRATITUDE.

Thanks This Country Unjust in Criticisms on Manchurian Question and Trucking to Japanese Interests.

Petersburg, May 18.—The Russian officials express themselves as deeply hurt at the criticism of American Press, on the subject of Manchuria, and say that "considerable friendship extended forty years ago, when America needed it, whether the Anglo-Japanese was not colored in Anglo-Japanese interests."

AN INTO ROCKSLIDE.

Engineer and Fireman on D. & R. G. Meet Sudden Death.

San Juan, Colo., May 18.—A round passenger train on the Rio Grande R. R. ran into a slide near Palmdale last night. Engineer George Stewart of the D. & R. G. and fireman W. A. Wood, were killed.

GATHERING

Of Baptists of the Northern States in Session.

Number of Questions, Including Co-ordination of Societies, to Be Considered.

Buffalo, N. Y., May 18.—The great national gathering of the Baptists of the northern states, from Maine to California, opened in the Prospect avenue church today, with the 26th annual meeting of the Woman's Baptist Home Mission Society, of which Mrs. J. N. Crouse, of Chicago, is president. The first session, worker's conference, was called to order shortly after 10 o'clock, when a praise service was held followed by greetings and the announcement of committees. The meetings of this society will occupy two days, and will be followed by meetings of the American Baptist Home Mission Society, American Baptist Publication Society. Many delegates have already arrived. The attendance is expected to be unusually large.

HARD WORK

Had Police to Quell Riot on Subway Today.

New York, May 18.—The police worked hard today to quell a riot at Broadway and Sixty-eighth street, where several Italian women, evidently strike sympathizers, had been intimidating the men at work on the subway construction. Stones were thrown indiscriminately and women flashed huge stilettos. Four of the women were arrested. Two of them had stilettos, one of which was two feet long.

SERIOUS

Question Before the House of Commons.

It Has to Do With Reputed American Butter in Irish Packages.

London, May 18.—Replying to a question in the House of Commons today, secretary Mr. Wyndham, said, complaints have been made to the department of agriculture that low grade American butter was being packed in Irish firkins, and sold as Irish butter, and that other foreign produce was being sold in England as Irish. The complaint however, were of too general a character to enable the department to act.

KERWIN

Charged With the Murder of Maggie Snidgar,

Is on Trial for His Life—He Was Known as "Jack the Choker."

Cleveland, O., May 18.—Joseph Kerwin, of Toledo, claimed by the police to be "Jack the choker," was placed on trial here today for his life in criminal court, charged with the murder of Maggie Snidgar, who was found choked to death in her home in a Lake street house, Feb. 23 last. The woman's trunk was ransacked and afterward, a watch belonging to her was found in the possession of Kerwin. Another woman living in the neighborhood claimed that Kerwin had tried to choke her to death in a similar manner.

HARRIMAN BETTER.

New York, May 18.—E. H. Harriman who is suffering from a slight attack of appendicitis, sat up today, and appeared to be much better. His physicians expect that he will be able to be about in a few days, so that he can take the trip he has been contemplating.

BISCUIT MAKERS

Locked Out of the Kohlsaat Wholesale Bakery.

Chicago, May 18.—By their action in voting to strike in sympathy with the colored waiters of the same firm, the bakers working in the wholesale plant of H. H. Kohlsaat and Company have precipitated a lockout. The big bakery and the one remaining restaurant were closed today for an indefinite period. More than 700 employees are thrown out of work.

JAMES DUFFY

Gets Remembrance for Violating Court Injunction.

Springfield, Ill., May 18.—James Duffy, who fired a gun at a Mobile and Ohio train crew, was sentenced to five months imprisonment today. The charge was contempt of an injunction given by the Federal court restraining strikers from interfering with the operation of the railroad.

JUSTICE FULLER ORDERS RELEASE

Of Two Attorneys Sent to Jail For Contempt of the Court in Indianapolis Early This Year.

Washington, May 18.—Chief Justice Fuller, of the United States supreme court today, ordered the permanent release of the two Louisville attorneys, W. W. Watts and David A. Sachs, who were committed to jail in Indianapolis last February, on the charge of contempt of court in connection with the bankruptcy proceedings against M. Zier and company of N. Albany.

MAYOR KING ASKS FOR AID.

Wants Council to Make Appropriation to Aid in Capture of Murderer.

Lorain, O., May 18.—Mayor King states that he will ask the city council at its meeting tonight to make an appropriation to assist in the work of running down the murderer of Agatha Reichlin. The mayor admits that the detectives are following up some important clues, that appear extremely promising. Detective Goldsmith said today that a demand will soon be made upon Coroner French to reopen the inquest.

CHINA AGAIN ENTERS PROTEST

And Points Out the Commercial Impossibility of Including in Treaties the Opening to Trade of Manchuria.

Peking, May 18.—China, in reply to the opening to trade of Manchuria towns, on account of Russian opposition. The American minister proposes the opening of Mukden, Harbin a small port at the mouth of the Yalu river.

IMMENSE IS GATHERING

Of Wearers of the Gray at Confederate Re-union in New Orleans.

New Orleans, La., May 18.—Fully fifty thousand people had arrived up to noon today, to attend the reunion of confederate veterans, and it is thought twice as many more will have arrived by tomorrow morning. The city has made every effort to take care of its visitors, and promises to do so in splendid fashion. The reunion proper will commence at 10 o'clock tomorrow morning, when memorial services in honor of Jefferson Davis will be held in Christ church by the confederate Southern Memorial Association. Two hours later, the delegates will be called to order in the convention at the fair grounds. It is expected the business sessions of the convention continued until six o'clock in the evening.

SETTLEMENT

Still Far Removed in Denver Industrial Circles.

State Board of Arbitration Continuing Its Efforts to Bring About Peace.

Denver, Colo., May 18.—The state board of arbitration and committees of the chamber of commerce and the Allied Printing trades continued their efforts today to bring about an agreement between the citizen's alliance and the labor unions, but apparently with little prospect of adjusting matters as the general committee of organization not to recognize the alliance. The number of strikers today is estimated to be 6,539 by the labor committee.

RUSSIAN REPRESENTATIVE.

St. Petersburg, May 18.—M. Alexandrovski, an official of the finance ministry, has been appointed Russian commissioner to the St. Louis Exposition.

GOVERNOR IN EARNEST.

All Public Assemblages Forbidden Under Penalty of Fine.

St. Petersburg, May 18.—All public assemblages in the province of Saratoff have been prohibited under pain of heavy penalties. A proclamation of the governor has been posted in all the towns and villages, and has been published in all the newspapers, forbidding all public gatherings, warning the people against interference with the police while in their execution of their duties ordering crowds which may collect in contravention of this order to disperse on the first summons of police. Every one disobeying any of the provisions of the proclamation is liable to a fine of \$250 or three months imprisonment. This stringent order is the result of renewed popular agitation. Disturbances in several localities in the province of Saratoff, are feared in St. Petersburg.

PALMA TROPHY CAUSING STRIFE

Among Eagle Eyed Gunners Who Want to Go to England and Enter the Contest.

Seagriff, N. J., May 18.—With the weather and shooting conditions entirely satisfactory, the competition for places on the All-American rifle team that will be sent to Bisley, England, to endeavor to capture the Palma trophy, began here shortly before noon today. About two score experts with the military rifle, lined up on the range for allotment to targets. From this number, the team of eight men will be chosen next Wednesday night, the selection to be based on the records made by the competitors in the firing of today, tomorrow and Wednesday. The greatest interest is manifested in the contest, and every man means to do his best in the hope of earning a place on the team that is to represent the United States in a friendly strife with the world at large. The firing was not begun today until after the morning trains from New York and Philadelphia had arrived, this arrangement being made to accommodate a number of the competitors. Eight targets at each of the three ranges were used. At the conclusion of the firing at 800 yards a rest for dinner was taken. The firing at 300 and 1,000 yards is in progress this afternoon. Major Gilfoil 102th U. S. Cavalry, is serving as executive officer of the range and Lieut. Albert S. Jones, secretary of the National Rifle Association as statistic officer. The range officers are: Col. Leslie C. Bruce, N. J. N. G., Ritchie, captain French U. S. army; Capt. Winstead, N. J. N. G., and Lieutenant Col. E. L. Dimick, recorder for the board to promote rifle practice. The scorers are eight sergeants of the regular army.

SEVEN DAYS PROGRAMME

Prepared For Anniversary Week of the American Unitarian Ass'n.

Boston, May 18.—With a program of the attractions offered by the programme as well as by the fact that the convention will close on Sunday with a general observance by all Unitarian churches of the 100th anniversary of the birth of Ralph Waldo Emerson.

ABOUT ENDED IS 29TH "RUN"

Of the O. R. C. Convention Will Finish Work Tomorrow. Hard Fight For Place of Next Meeting.

Pittsburg, Pa., May 18.—The members of the order of railway conductors, have just about completed their 29th biennial "run." At the session today all amendments passed finally. Tomorrow the election of officers will be held and the selecting of the next place of meeting. In all but one instance the present officers will have no opposition for re-election. There will be a contest for one of trusteeships, but it is believed that this will not cause much excitement. What will be the most interesting fight will be for the next convention. This is actually now lies between Portland, Oregon, and Boston, with chances in favor of the former. The question of the amount of increase to be made to salaries of the grand officers it is believed, will be made before adjournment today. Today the local division of the Ladies Auxiliary gave an exemplification of ritual work for the entertainment of the grand officers and delegates of their order.

GRAND JURY

Has School Superintendent on Sweating Block.

St. Louis, May 18.—State superintendent of schools, W. T. Carrington, was a witness today, before the grand jury, that is investigating legislative proceedings. He was examined as to his knowledge of the use of money in connection with the passage or defeat of text book bills by the Missouri general assembly.

KENT GOT 20 YEARS.

Rochester, N. Y., May 18.—Leland Door Kent, who on Saturday was found guilty of manslaughter in the first degree, was today sentenced to 20 years imprisonment in Auburn prison. Kent was convicted of having encouraged and assisted Ethel Shanks Duggan in her recent suicide.

BOLD**Theft Committed Saturday Night In South Lima****Number of Deaths Sad—den Several Homes.****H. C. Thew and F. G. Eaton Have Formed a Partnership.****The Wedding of Maude Arnold and William Kennedy Was Quietly Solemnized at the Home of the Bride Yesterday.**

Henry Sordalate, a seventeen year old boy, representing his home to be of Columbus, and claiming to be the son of a prominent merchant of that city, was according to his story, attacked and robbed, Saturday evening about seven o'clock. He admits being a vagrant, and says he came to this city Saturday and became a guest at John O'Connell's hotel on south Main street, near the Erie railroad. He avers that Saturday evening after supper, he walked out the Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton railroad, and that when he was a short distance south of the Main street intersection of the road he was accosted by two rough looking negroes who commanded him to throw up his hands. This he claimed he refused to do immediately, and was preparing to defend himself when one of the negroes struck him a blow with his fist, over the left eye. About the same time the other highwayman stabbed him in the left hip with a pen knife inflicting a wound about two inches long and penetrating to the bone.

Sordalate declares they robbed him of twenty-two dollars and a few cents, and him lying along the track where he had fallen and made their escape. He alleges that he laid there for some time but finally succeeded in crawling to where south Main street crosses the C. H. & D. railroad, where he attracted the attention of a man who was passing, and who assisted him to the Erie hotel from where a telephone message was sent for an ambulance. He says the vehicle responded and in it the injured man was removed to the city hospital, where his wounds were dressed. As soon as the case was reported at police headquarters a detail of officers were sent to the scene in the hope of apprehending the robbers but they had secured too great a start and as yet no clue has been obtained to their whereabouts.

Sordalate related a plausible story at first, but has rather discredited himself by several other versions, and the police are becoming suspicious of a great portion of the affair, but will continue to investigate and keep on the alert.

Death Claimed Her.
Many of the older citizens of Lima mourn with regret the death of Mrs. Jeannette Hartley, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Ida Barker, of Racine, Wis. Deceased was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Miles Woodhull, a number of years ago, residents of this city. The remains of Mrs. Hartley will arrive from Racine, over the Erie railroad, tomorrow afternoon at four-thirty o'clock, accompanied by Mrs. Ida Barker, and will be taken immediately to Woodlawn cemetery, where they will be interred.

Mrs. Barker will remain here for some time, being the guest of Mrs. W. H. Crayton, of 506 Greenlawn avenue.

Death of Infant.
The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Ambrose Morris of 1958 Reece avenue



Ayer's Cherry Pectoral
Get well before you have to think of weak lungs, bronchitis, pleurisy.

died yesterday after a brief illness. The funeral will occur from the Morris home tomorrow afternoon. Interment will be made in the cemetery at Harrod. The sympathy of neighbors and friends is extended to the parents in their sad bereavement.

Death of Relative.
Miss Alta Osborn, of 700 south Elizabeth street, left this morning for Kenton, to attend the funeral of Benjamin Osborn, a well known citizen of Kenton.

His Sister Dead.
S. M. Fletcher, of 328 west Kibby street, went to Harrison Valley, Pa., Saturday to attend the funeral of his sister, Mrs. A. D. Holcomb.

Badly Injured.
John Huffman, of 112 east Vine street while working at the Lima Locomotive Works, Saturday, was struck in the right side, by a heavy piece of iron, which injured him so badly that he had to be removed to his home and receive the treatment of a physician. While there were no fractures, the injury will confine him to his home for some time.

New Firm.
F. G. Eaton, formerly with E. M. Hale, has purchased an interest in H. C. Thew's store, at 719 south Main street, and hereafter the business will be conducted under the firm name of Thew and Eaton.

To the Hospital.
John Crumrine, of 736 south Main street, will go to the hospital this week to submit to an operation, to be performed by a surgeon from Ft. Wayne.

Quietly Married.
At the home of the bride yesterday afternoon, Maude Arnold of east Vine street, was united in wedlock to William Kennedy.

Both the contracting persons are well and favorably known and have the best wishes of many friends for a long happy and prosperous wedded life.

Reception Tonight.
Grace M. E. church will be the scene of a pleasant event this evening, when Rev. F. C. Floyd, D. D., field secretary of the missionary societies of the Methodist church, will lecture, after which a reception will be tendered a number of distinguished missionaries and others from many foreign countries.

Farewell Reception.
At the recent meeting of Allen Hives of Macabees a farewell reception was tendered to Mesdames Shaw and Faeth, who will leave soon for new homes, the former going to Indianapolis and the latter, to Colorado.

Special Services.
Special fast day services will be conducted at St. John's Catholic church next Thursday. Rev. McGeel, of Marysville, will deliver a discourse in the evening.

Next Sunday morning, Rev. Frederick G. Rupert will administer first communion to a class of thirty young communicants.

Personals.
Mrs. G. W. Schmitz, of east Kibby street, left this morning for Cincinnati, where she will visit her parents.

W. D. Reynolds, a well known business man, has returned to his home at Spencerville, after a brief visit in this city.

C. Brookins and wife, of 800 St. Johns avenue, have gone to Delphos, on account of the serious illness of Mr. Brookins' father.

Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Ely, of 136 St. Johns avenue, spent yesterday with friends at Van Wert.

Mrs. A. E. Smith, of Franklin street, will entertain the Ladies Aid Society of Grace M. E. church, Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Samantha Leah, of south Union street, returned today from a two week's visit with friends at Wapakoneta.

Harry Pfeifer, of 518 south Pine street, is visiting his grand parents at Elida.

Doctor Stranghoff, the noted German scientist, says: "The most beautiful and well formed women are Americans, where 90 per cent use Rocky Mountain Tea. The great beautifier." 25 cents.

For sale by H. F. Vorkamp, corner North and Main streets.

ARRESTED**For Making False Declaration of Child's Birth.**

London, May 18.—Mrs. Gunning Bedford, who was arrested on board the steamer Umbria, at Queenstown, Saturday, was charged in Bow street police court here, today, with making a false declaration of a child's birth. She was remanded and bail was refused.

Catarrh

The cause exists in the blood, in what causes inflammation of the mucous membrane.

It is therefore impossible to cure the disease by local applications.

It is positively dangerous to neglect it, because it always affects the stomach and deranges the general health, and is likely to develop into consumption.

Many have been radically and permanently cured by Hood's Sarsaparilla. It cleanses the blood and has a peculiar alternative and tonic effect. E. Long, California Junction, Iowa, writes: "I had catarrh three years, lost my appetite and could not sleep. My head pained me and I felt bad all over. I took Hood's Sarsaparilla and now have a good appetite, sleep well, and have no symptoms of catarrh."

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DEATH**Came to Aged Lady While Laughing Heartily****Over an Idle Story Told by One of Her Story Telling Guests.**

New York, May 18.—Mrs. Minnie Summers, 88 years old, is dead here, as the result of laughing. While entertaining friends recently, she laughed so heartily at a funny story, that the others were as much amused by her enjoyment as by the story itself. Suddenly Mrs. Summers ceased laughing, and her head dropped forward on her breast. She was unconscious, and died in a few minutes.

DOESN'T RESPECT OLD AGE.
It is shameful when youth fails to show proper respect for old age, but just the contrary in the case of Dr. King's New Life Pills. They cut off maladies no matter how severe and irrespective of old age. Dyspepsia, jaundice, fever, constipation all yield to this perfect pill. 25c, at H. F. Vorkamp's drug store, corner Main and North streets.

LOOKS**Like Another Street Car Strike in Toronto.****Three Weeks of Negotiation, Ends Fruitlessly, and the Company Refuses Demands.**

Toronto, May 18.—After three weeks of practically fruitless negotiations, matters now appear ripe for another strike, on the Toronto street railway. The company has refused the men's demands for 23 cents an hour, and a grievance committee, though certain minor points were conceded. The men are determined on the grievance committee or some form of recognition of their union, and trouble seems inevitable. The men will present a final ultimatum to the company today and a strike may be precipitated at any time.

DISASTROUS WRECKS.
Carelessness is responsible for many a railroad wreck and the same causes are making human wrecks of sufferers from throat and lung troubles. But since the advent of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, coughs and colds, even the worst cases can be cured, and hopeless cases can be cured, and hopelessness is no longer necessary. Mrs. Lois Cragg of Dorchester, Mass., is one of many whose life was saved by Dr. King's New Discovery. This great remedy is guaranteed for all throat and lung diseases by H. F. Vorkamp drugstore. Price 50c, and \$1. Trial bottles free.

Charles Leasure and wife, are home from Ardmore, I. T., visiting John Killian and family. They will remain about a week, when they will return west.

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HELD HIS THJRD.

London, May 18.—King Edward held the third levee of his reign at Buckingham Palace today. Ambassador Choate and other members of the United States Embassy were present.

For Female Complaints and diseases arising from an impure state of the blood, Light's Cherry Nerve Compound is an invaluable specific. Sold by W. M. Melville.

ROYAL**Entertainment For Visitors Was Afforded****By the Lima Members of the B. I. L.****Findlay Men Delighted With Hospitality of the Lima Union.****Four Candidates For Membership in the Local Union Were Initiated by the Team From the Gas City.**

A jolly and representative crowd of Findlay members of the bartenders' international league, made up the list of guests who were royally entertained yesterday, by the members of the local union, of that organization. With the members of the liquor traffic fraternity in both Lima and Findlay, observing the Sunday closing laws rigidly, the guests and their hosts had an excellent opportunity to get away from the cares and responsibilities for the day, and seek recreation in a fitting manner, and this they did, and they did it thoroughly.

The visiting members arrived here at 9:47 o'clock, yesterday morning, and were met at the L. E. & W. depot by a large delegation forming a reception committee from the local union. The guests were escorted direct to the Buffalo hall, where cigars and light refreshments were served, and pink and white carnations were the favors. At 10:15 o'clock, the meeting was called to order, and the visitors were formally and cordially welcomed by President George G. Lyons, of the local union.

At 10:30 o'clock, cars which had been provided by the Lima union, were boarded in the public square, and the visitors were taken to the McBeth park, where an hour was spent in inspecting the various improvements and enjoying the refreshing shade. Returning to the city at 12:45 o'clock, on an interurban car, the party were escorted to the Oak dining room, where dinner was served.

At 1:30 o'clock, the members of the B. I. L. again repaired to the Buffalo hall, where a secret session was held until nearly 5 o'clock, and 4 candidates for membership in the local union were initiated by the Findlay team, constituted by President Ewing and members Asche, Fellers and Altman. The secret work was followed by an informal banquet, and social session in which a number of invited guests, including traveling passenger agent W. F. Carter, of the L. E. & W., who looked after the comfort of the visitors en route, participated.

Many of the guests departed over the L. E. & W. at 5:55 o'clock, last evening, and a number remained until this morning. Those who remained were given a trip over the Western Ohio to Wapakoneta, and return last evening. Among those who made up the party from Findlay, were: Pres. Ewing and members Altman, Asche, Fellers, Spellman, Savage, Glick, McCalland, Londenschlager, Myer and Gallagher.

Mr. J. E. Michnewitsch, a district organizer for the American Federation of Labor, was also a member of the visiting party.

NOT A SICK DAY SINCE.
"I was taken severely sick with kidney trouble. I tried all sorts of medicines, none of which relieved me. One day I saw an ad. of your Electric Bitters and determined to try that. After taking a few doses I felt relieved, and soon thereafter was entirely cured, and have not seen a sick day since. Neighbors of mine have been cured of Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Liver and Kidney troubles and General Debility." This is what B. F. Bass, of Fremont, N. C. writes. Only 50c, at H. F. Vorkamp's drug store, corner Main and North streets.

On Sunday, May 24th, the Lake Erie and Western Railroad Co., will run a popular cheap excursion to Indianapolis, only \$1.50 for the round trip. Train leaves Lima 1:40 a. m., returning leaves Indianapolis 8 p. m. 85 ct.

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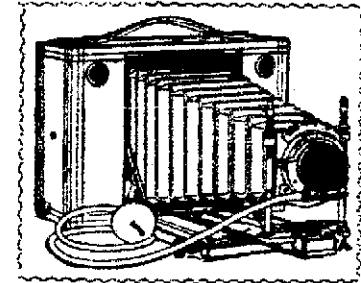
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THE WEATHER.

Washington, May 18.—For Ohio:
fair tonight; Tuesday, fair, showers
and cooler in northwest portion.

There are many happy health offi-
cers in Ohio today, the direct result of
the test case made and won by Dr.
Matthews.

Mayor Low has driven Mormon
elders off the streets of New York,
but no word is heard of the republic-
an party driving Smoot out of the
United States senate.

The governor of Pennsylvania will
lose the full power of the press, in
future campaigns, in the Keystone
state. The boys may get a few level
hits on their heads, but they are go-
ing to say a few things about Penn-
sylvania, no matter what the result.

Teddy, they say, wants Herrick for
a running mate. He also wants the
endorsement of the Ohio republican
state convention, and it is even money
that he will get neither Herrick or the
endorsement. There is just a mere
trifle of politics running around un-
der the surface in republican circles,
and Marcus, the coal baron, is direct-
ing the current.

Gen. Waldorf is playing the same
old role of dictator in Lucas county,
that for years was the red light of his
existence in Allen county. It is said
he misses Charlie Rumbaugh and Jer-
ry Reichtl from his advisory board.
In Toledo, George is controlling the ap-
pointments in the different city de-
partments. Jerry and Charlie and
George are not dictating here, and
therein lies the only difference in
their respective conditions.

The difficulty in damaking a war
balloon in mid-air was recently shown
by tests made in Austria. The ex-
perimenters anchored a balloon at a
height of 7,500 feet and had gunners,
who had not been given the distance,
to try to disable it. A required twen-
ty-two shots to find the range, even
approximately, and not until the sixty-
fourth round was the balloon hit. It
then sustained but a slight tear, which
caused it to descend slowly.

Charles Theibert, a fairly well-to-do
Long Island farmer, wants a wife, but
imposes certain conditions on candi-
dates for a corner in his affections.
For instance, the lady must be a
good housekeeper not over thirty
years of age. He is willing to buy his
wife two rows every year, to cost
not more than \$29 each, with shoes,
hats, etc., to correspond. The future
Mrs. Theibert must agree to forego
high-heeled slippers, open-worked
stockings, cigarettes and poodle dogs,
the would-be bride-groom thinking
such frivolities are not suited to a
farmer's wife.

The United States census for 1900
finds 3,536 persons in the United
States who are 100 or more years of
age. The value of these figures may
be questioned, and perhaps may be
best estimated by the fact that 72.3
per cent of the whole number are
negroes, many of whom have no reli-
able evidence as to the date of their
birth. They are but 11 per cent of
the total population. It seems improb-
able, too, that this country should
have over 3,500, when Germany, with
a population of nearly 50,000,000, has
only 148, and France, with 40,000,000
has only 212.

PROGRESSIVE JOURNALISM.

The Atchison Globe, of May 9th, tells
of the swiftness of modern up-to-date
journalism, when it says that the New
York Sunday World, of tomorrow,
May 10th, arrived in Atchison, today.

FLIMSY EXCUSE.

The result of the investigation of
the postoffice department is to be
made public, says our esteemed morn-
ing contemporary, "and the final re-
port will be of a character thoroughly
acceptable to the postoffice depart-
ment, the administration and republi-
can party at large."

"Extravagance and gross irregu-
larities will be largely attributed to
the stupendous and rapid growth of
the service without a proportionate
increase in the clerical force."

Did any one, any where, ever hear
such an abortive excuse? Is ex-
travagance and gross irregularity a
white wash coat that will go with the
public and let the republican party
escape judgment? Do you think, does
anyone think, who is in the slightest
measure intimate with the handling of
government affairs, or who has ever
been about the departments in Wash-
ington, that extravagance and gross
irregularity could come from lack of
sufficient clerical force?

The administration explainer will
have to come again, and work his at-
tributer.

GLOBE SIGHTS.

Some people overdo the being cheer-
ful act.

No woman should laugh at a "joke"
on her husband.

A bagpipe furnishes about as much
music as a bass drum.

A long story of a hanging, if well
written, is very interesting.

Great as you are, your friends will
laugh merrily after your funeral.

"What do you know, except mean-
ness?" a brakeman asked a friend to-
day.

After a man becomes old, it seems
to him on Friday that yesterday was
Sunday.

When men complain too much of
monotony, look out for a cyclone to
break it.

More trouble: The sazerac cock-
tail, a particularly seductive drink,
has struck town.

It must be hard to be a millionaire's
wife, and be compelled to go so often
to the dressmaker's.

When a baby cries in its father's
arms, he at once takes steps toward
appointing a receiver.

Those who never save a cent have
no trouble in fair weather in proving
that they are philosophers.

People are always looking for a
really good one-two-three show, and a
really good five cent cigar.

About the only thing the average
man can find without assistance from
his wife, is another woman.

When a man reaches sixty years of
age, he ought to be free to have opin-
ions of his own, but he isn't.

These girls with active imagina-
tions: do the young men know that
they make very suspicious wives?

MOROS

On the War Path, and Are
Threatening Soldiers.

Clash is Expected and U. S.
Officer Can Deal With
Them.

Manila, May 18.—Numerous armed
bands of hostile Moros from Bacolod
and Taraca Island of Mindanao, have
appeared in the vicinity of Pantar,
north of the lake, and have made
threatening demonstrations against
the American troops. A clash is ex-
pected. Major Bullard, who, with a
strong force, is at Pantar, is capable
of dealing with the rebels.

Ninety per cent of the lake Moros
have accepted American sovereignty.
Col. Taylor Victorious.

Manila, May 18.—Colonel Taylor,
with a force of constabiles defeated
several bands of fanatics in the in-
terior of Cebu Island May 14. Killing
twenty and wounding several of them.
A few of the constabiles were wound-
ed. Lieut. Walker is missing.

TOLEDO

Highly Aroused Over Letter
From Fighting Woman

Offering Member of Board of Public
Service Large Sum for Parole
or for Pardon.

Toledo, O., May 18.—The first at-
tempt to bribe the new public service
board, which assumed office on May
4th, last, was exposed today by the
board. One of the members gave out
for publication a letter from Georgia
Evans, now serving a sixty day term
in the workhouse for assault, in which
she offers \$1,000 for a parole or par-
don.

YENGLING

Has Taken G. A. R. Head-
quarters to Salem.

He Announces List of Excellent
Staff Appointments, But No
Lima Men.

Salem, O., May 18.—Commander A.
C. Yengling, has established head-
quarter department of Ohio G. A. R.
in this city, and announced the fol-
lowing staff appointments:
Assistant adjutant general Wm. B.
Bently, Salem; assistant quartermas-
ter general C. F. Lease, Salem; chief
of staff, Wm. Horne, Salem; depart-
ment inspector Peter Webb, Warren;
chief mustering officer R. F. Palmer,
Akron; judge advocate W. H. Minnarn,
New Lexington; chief bugler, T. E.
Hite, Columbus.

BIDS OPENED.

Seasongood & Mayer Get the
School Bonds.

The Lima Trust Company Only \$50
Below the Highest Bid—The
Premium Offered.

Bids for the proposed issue of \$15,
000 worth of high school bonds, were
opened this afternoon and of the 10
bids received from as many prominent
financial institutions the highest was
submitted by Seasongood & Mayer,
of Cincinnati, who offered a premium
of \$2,300 for the issue. The second
highest bid was submitted by the
Lima Trust Co., that institution offer-
ing a premium of \$2,250 for the bonds.

TURKEY

Reticent Regarding Details
of Ipek Fighting.

Albanians Reported to Have De-
clared Allegiance to the Sul-
tan.—Many Killed.

Constantinople, May 18.—The Turk-
ish officials observe much reserve re-
garding the details of the fighting
which occurred during the advance of
the Turkish troops on Ipek, Albania,
which was occupied May 15. Sever-
al hundred Albanians are now report-
ed to have been killed or wounded.
The Albanians, it is declared, have
telegraphed to the Sultan, announcing
their submission, and expressing their
fidelity and readiness to act upon the
measures necessary for the pacifica-
tion of Albania.

THE MARKETS.

New York, May 18.—Opening prices
moved narrowly and in an irregular
way. Missouri Pacific lost 1/4 and St.
Louis and San Francisco, second pre-
ferred 3/4. Pennsylvania advanced 3/4,
but dipped again to below Saturday's
close. The market was moderately
active.

New York, May 18.—Engagements
of \$1,760,000 gold for export and of
\$200,000 for transfer to New Orleans
induced active selling throughout the
list. Active stocks which sold a point
or more under Saturday were New
York Central, Southern Pacific, Nor-
folk & Western, Colorado & Southern
Sloss-Sherfield Steel, Colorado Fuel
and Pressed Steel Car preferred. In
the less active list St. Louis South-
western preferred dropped 4 N. Y. C.
and St. Louis 3/4. Wheeling & Lake
Erie first preferred 3 1/4. Northwest-
ern 3 3/4. Biscuit preferred 2 5/8 and
Colorado & Southern second preferred
2. Bonds were heavy at noon.

New York, May 18.—Prices favored
a momentary lower level, but as losses
and offerings were equally small,
covered and there was a pretty general
rally to Saturday's close or above.
Delaware and Hudson declined 1/4-

and recovered fully. Northwestern
lost 1/4. Pipe preferred 1 1/4. St. Louis
Southwestern preferred 2 3/4 and
Iowa Central preferred 3 5/8.

Chicago, May 18.—Cattle receipts
30,000. Market 10¢ to 15 cents lower.
Good to prime steers \$1.90 to \$5.50; poor
to medium \$2.20 to \$4.90; stockers and
feeders \$2.75 to \$4.80; cows and heif-
ers \$1.60 to \$4.75; canners \$1.60 to \$2.75;
bulls \$2.50 to \$4.25; calves \$2.50 to \$6;
Texas fed steers \$4 to \$4.80.

Hogs, receipts today 42,000; esti-
mated for tomorrow 25,000; left over
2,244. Market 5¢ to 10 cents lower.
Mixed butchers \$6.25 to \$6.50; good to
choice heavy \$6.50 to \$6.80; light \$6.10
to \$6.30; bulk of sales \$6.35 to \$6.60.

Sheep receipts 20,000. Sheep and
lambs steady to weak. Good to choice
wethers \$4.90 to \$5.50; fair to choice
mixed \$3.75 to \$4.75; native lambs \$4.
to \$7.10.

Chicago, May 18.—Close: Wheat,
May 79 1/2; July 73 1/2; Sept. 70 1/2;
Dec. 71 1/2.

Corn, May 44 1/2; July 44 1/2; Sept.
44 1/2.

Oats, May 30 1/2; July 33 1/2; Sept.
30 1/2; Dec. 30 1/2.

Pork, May \$18.85; July \$17.15; Sept.
\$16.50.

Lard, May \$8.55; July \$8.95; Sept.
\$8.97 1/2; Oct. \$8.75.

Ribs, May \$9.25; July \$9.37 1/2; Sept.
\$9.17 1/2; Oct. \$9.02 1/2.

Rye, May 50; July 50 1/2.

HE FOLLOWED THE KING.

It Was a Long Chase, but the Consul
Was Tenacons.

"A consular vacancy occurred in
one of the group of islands of the
south Pacific," said a Pacific coast fed-
eral judge. "I recommended a friend
for the vacancy. He was appointed,
and, as it was imperative he should
reach his post at the earliest possible
day, he sailed from San Francisco
with the understanding that his com-
mission should follow him and that he
should take the oath of office before a
local magistrate after he had arrived.
Well, the new consul sailed, and it was
six months before the state depart-
ment heard from him. He reported
there was no local magistrate and in-
quired of the secretary if he could not
take the necessary oath before the
king. The secretary wrote him in the
affirmative, and it was several months
later when another letter came. This
time by sailing ship, after going around
the world. It contained the graphic
information that the aforesaid king
had in the meantime gone to an ad-
joining island and taken to the brush.
Should the consul follow him? Again
he was given an affirmative answer.
The archives of the state department
will show that he eventually located
this south sea island king in the brush.
He was sworn in and, after the lapse of
nearly two years from the date of his
appointment, was fully qualified to en-
ter upon his consularship."

Writing a Wheel.

Once when Chief Justice John Mar-
shall was driving in Virginia he found
that the tire on one of his wheels was
loose and kept slipping off. He didn't
know a great deal about common af-
fairs, for he had not lived much with
the common affairs of life, but he did
know that water would tighten a tire
on a wheel. So he came to a little
branch and drove into it and got one
little section of the wheel wet, then
drove out and backed his horse, and
the same part of the wheel went into
the water again, and he pulled back
and kept seawsawing backward and for-
ward, all the time getting the same
part of the wheel wet. While the judge
was bothering himself about how to
get the wheel wet a negro came along
and, seeing the situation, told him to
back into the water again. He did so,
and the negro took hold of the spokes
of the wheel and, turning it around di-
rectly, had it wet all around. Judge
Marshall said, "Well, I never thought
of that." The darky replied, "Well,
some men just 'naw' have more sense
than others 'naw'."

Elephant Love.

A pathetic story of intelligence and
affectionate soliloquy of an elephant
comes from the Midnapur district in
Bengal.

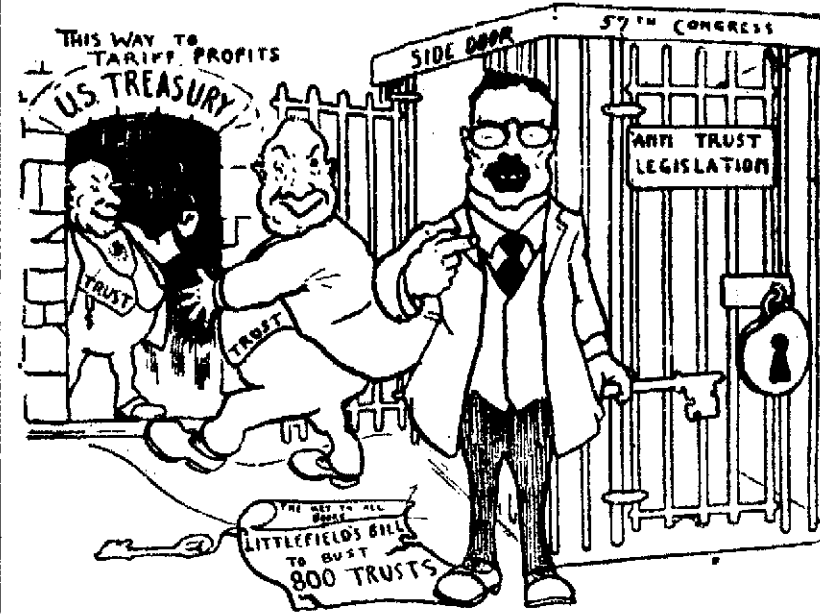
A wild tusker and a younger animal
had done great damage to crops, and
the head man of the district, Babu
Ganjan Lal Malla, attempted to kill
them. He shot the larger animal in the
leg, disabling it, but not sufficiently
for any one to approach it.

For a month the animals lingered in
the district, the smaller one ministering
to the wants of its wounded compan-
ion, and by furious charges kept the
villagers at a safe distance.
Twisting its trunk about that of the
stricken brute, it uttered the most
mournful cries, fanned the wound and
gave every evidence of acute distress.
When the wounded elephant died, its
companion disappeared and has not
been seen since.—London Express.

How Trees Differ as to Their Roots.

Trees whose roots are of the same
length and fiber do not thrive as well
as those which are unequal, because
they develop better when their roots
reach for nutriment in different strata
or depths of the earth. The oak could
not live in soil where the pine would
thrive luxuriantly. This is owing to
the nature of the trees. One requires
the most solid nutriment. The pine re-
quires light, sandy soil and the atmos-
pheric conditions of sunshine and rain.
The oak, maple, elm, hemlock, birch
and beech all require warm and clean
soil. Trees are noted for picking out
the attractive places, and where there
are flourishing forests may be found
the best land and the soil always pro-
ductive.

HE HOLDS THE KEY.



President Roosevelt at Milwaukee April 3, 1903: "Not only is the antitrust
legislation recently enacted effective, but in my judgment it was impracticable
to attempt more. . . . Many of the alleged remedies advocated are of the
unpleasantly drastic type. . . . Others are . . . obviously futile. . . .
High among the latter I place the effort to reach the trust question by means
of the tariff."

TARIFF LEAGUE'S WORK

Gigantic Swindle Operated to
Fool the People.

MADE PRESIDENT CHANGE FRONT

Now In a Boasting Mood the Secre-
tary Gives Some Startling Figures.
Pays Large Sums to Republican
Campaign Funds—Supplies Matter
Free to 6,000 Newspapers.

There is great rejoicing in the sanc-
tuary of the American Protec-
tive Tariff league in New York. This
league modestly takes full credit for
President Roosevelt's "change of front"
on the tariff question. The Washing-
ton Star of April 16 contains a two
column article on the league and its
work. As this article quotes from the
secretary of the league and indeed ap-
pears to have been inspired by him,
some extracts from it are here re-
produced.

"It is no exaggeration to say that the
most powerful instrument in this coun-
try today for the molding of public
sentiment is the organization of man-
ufacturers which bears the name of the
American Protective Tariff league. It
defeated the Cuban reciprocity legisla-
tion of the first session of the Fifty-
seventh congress, emasculated the Cu-
ban reciprocity treaty ratified at the
last session and will attempt at the
next session to further negative that
treaty.

"The American Protective Tariff
league has thus far prevented the ratifi-
cation of the reciprocity treaties nego-
tiated by Mr. Kassar. It has compelled
the Iowa ideal so successfully that
President Roosevelt, who started out
with a declaration that he would 'stand
pat' on the McKinley policies, which
included reciprocity, has now con-
cluded to 'stand pat' with the high tariff
faction of his party. The American
Protective Tariff league has a mem-
bership of 1,000, including some of the
most prominent manufacturers of iron,
steel, cotton goods, woolen goods, cut-
lery, Yankee notions, leather goods,
hosiery, gloves, varnish, silks, etc.

"The 1,000 members pay in years
when important elections are on a min-
imum annual assessment of \$100 each.
This minimum fund of \$100,000 is
swelled by additional contributions as
the occasion demands. The league is
not directly connected with the great
trusts. The paper trust is the only
trust closely associated with it, al-
though all of the trusts benefit through
its efforts.

"The object of the American Protec-
tive Tariff league is to create sentiment
in this country favorable to the main-
tenance of the protective tariff and to
prevent the abatement of existing tar-
iff rates. The league is the personifi-
cation of the 'stand pat' idea. It op-
poses the crossing of a 't' the dotting
of an 'i' or the changing of a punctu-
ation point in the existing tariff law.
The league effects its purposes and ac-
complishes its object of molding pub-
lic sentiment by working upon the
readers of the country through a mas-
terful system of newspaper syndicates.

At the headquarters of the league in
this city I was told that the combined
circulation per week of the newspapers
using the editorials and other matter
sent out by the league was 6,000,000
copies. Approximately that represents
24,000,000 readers a week in the opin-
ion of the officials of the league.

"The league publishes a weekly jour-
nal which has a circulation of about
14,000, 6,000 of which go to Republi-
can newspapers. The journal is care-
fully edited and voices the most intelli-
gent thought on high tariff questions.
It is a fact that some of the most prom-
inent Republican newspapers in the
country do not hesitate to utilize the
editorial suggestions and the ex par-
arguments of this journal. The fore-
going will give some idea of the mam-
moth system for reaching the readers
of the country which the league has
built up. Day after day, month after
month, year after year, keeping ever
lastingly at it, the American Protective
Tariff league has been pounding into
the Republican readers the arguments
and theories of the high protective tar-
iff policy. If the sentiment in one par-
ticular section—as in Iowa, for in-
stance—seemed to be wavering, the ef-
forts of the league would be concen-
trated and directed to that weak point.

"The total capitalization of the indus-
trial corporations represented in the

membership of the league would ap-
proach closely to a billion dollars. Out-
side of the great steel trust these in-
dustries produce the bulk of the total
output of American manufactured
products."

As the average circulation of the
newspapers using this matter is about
a thousand, the total number of papers
supplied must be nearly 6,000. This
work has been kept up steadily for
more than fifteen years. Although the
most of the arguments used by the
league are sophistical and many of the
statements are fallacious, yet the ordi-
nary unthinking reader who continu-
ally reads them reaches the conclusion,
or, rather, is made to feel, that protec-
tion is somehow a good thing for the
whole country as well as for the man-
ufacturers and that business would go
to smash at once if any important duty
were greatly reduced. Although thou-
sands of intelligent men see clearly and
understand the sophistry of the protec-
tionists, yet because they are unorga-
nized and have no great fund to
propagate their ideas, the masses of
the people are still in darkness on this
question.

"The Democratic party caters to no
special interests whose profits are
made by fooling and misleading the
people. It is unable to pay newspapers
for printing its matter, and its members
are not protected manufacturers with
big advertisements to insert in news-
papers which would help it up for protection.

"It is probable that if even a thousand
newspapers during the last ten years
had been printing regularly good tariff
reform matter the people and espe-
cially the farmers, who suffer most
from tariff protection," would now
be almost unanimous against high tar-
iff duties. The protected manufactur-
ers are an organized band of public
phosphores. The Protective Tariff league
is their organization. Its function is to
deceive and fool the people while the
manufacturers get in their fine work.
It is the wings of the vampire which
gently fan the victim to keep it dor-
mant while the vampire itself, the pro-
tected manufacturers, suck the life-
blood of the unfortunate victim. When-
ever the people show signs of awak-
ening and of attempting to loosen the
hold of this bloodsucking vampire the
manufacturers pour money into their
tariff league. It then redoubles its ef-
forts and increases the doses of sopor-
ific protection sophistry given to the
people to keep them quiet.

"Up to date the thing has worked like
a charm. Not only did it beguile a ma-
jority of the people into supporting the
McKinley and Dingley bills to abstract
money from their pockets, but it de-
flected the Cuban and all other rec-
iprocity measures proposed and has
now made the president reverse him-
self by threatening to defeat his re-
election unless he should abandon his
'Iowa ideas.'"

"It is over this work, of which it
should feel ashamed, that the Protec-
tive Tariff league is now gloating so
publicly that it is giving itself away.
The Democrats are entirely willing to
help advertise this agency of \$1,000,
600,000 worth of protected trusts and to
inform the people just how it does its
"educational" work and who foot its
bills.

BYRON W. HOLT.

Haunted by the Trusts.

The Republicans are greatly worried
about Congressman Littlefield's list of
800 trusts with \$14,000,000,000 of cap-
ital, published in the Congressional
Record as an appendix to his speech of
Feb. 6, 1903. No longer can the Re-
publican leaders deny that there are
trusts or say that there are only a few,
such as exist in England and other free
trade countries. This list, quoted by a
leading Republican, is twenty times as
long as any list of English trusts ever
published. For the benefit of those
Democrats who are to exhibit this
Republican list of trusts to their Re-
publican friends it may be said that it
can probably be obtained, free, of
either Mr. Littlefield or the congres-
sional information bureau, Washington.

Partial Immigration Laws.

It is probable that more immigrants
will arrive in this country this year
than ever before, 53,504 having arrived
in March, which is 10,215 more than
came here in March, 1902. Three-
fourths of all were Italians, Austrians
and Russians. Only 522 were excluded
this year against 754 last March. The
new immigration law does not appear
to be injuring the railroads or benef-
iting the labor unions greatly. At is a
fact, as have been all immigration
laws enacted by Congress.

A BLUE TRADE JOURNAL

Wool and Cotton Organ Pre-
dicts Early End of Prosperity.

THE PEOPLE BLEED DRY BY TRUSTS

WANTED, FOR RENT, LOST, FOR SALE, ETC.

WANTED.

WANTED—Barber: must be sober, steady and first class workman; salary \$12.00 per week. Apply at once to Ed. Galt 108 east Spring street, city. 4-31*

WANTED—Six carpenters at Faurot block. G. W. Doersbach. 84-31*

WANTED—Position as bookkeeper or assistant. Good reference. Willing to begin on small salary, with chance of promotion. Box 560, Lima, Ohio. 84-31*

WANTED—Good canvassers; no "get-rich-quick" scheme, but steady work and prompt pay. Write for particulars. Western New York Nursery Co., Dept. T. Rochester, N. Y. 83-8t

WANTED—Dish washer and assistant. Apply at office H. O. Cambridge. 83-1t

WANTED—About twelve cows to pasture on Lima Park grounds; good lake water. Call on A. Albert 50 south Pine street. 2-3t*

WANTED—Woman for second cooking and a dishwasher at Bowers' bakery. 181-1t

WANTED—Young girl for light house work. Apply at 512 west Market street. 9-1t

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Shedland pony with good body and harness. Wm. S. Ritten, 320 north Baxter street. 85-3t*

FOR SALE—Cheap. New modern 7 room house with cistern and city water and cemented cellar. Call at 50 south Main street. 85-3t*

FOR SALE—Grocery business for sale. One of the best outside places in the city. Selling on account of sickness. Address H. O. Cambridge, Times Democrat. 84-3t*

FOR SALE—CHEAP—Good billiard parlor tables, wall case, cigars and tobacco. Reason going West. Call on or address C. A. Gifford, Delmar, Ohio. 180-6t*

FOR SALE—First class upright piano in good condition, will sell at a bargain if taken at once. Call at 522 south Main street. 189-4t

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FOR SALE—Phaeton in good condition. Also set of harness. Address R. Times-Democrat office. 49-1t

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—Fine office rooms, in the Metropolitan block. Call Longbaugh agency. Either phone. Corner Cole and High street. 85-3t*

FOR RENT—A very desirable office room in Masonic building, third floor, front. Inquire of R. L. Bates, Pipe Line office. 85-6od-2t

LOST.

LOST—An oval shape watch chain with the letter "R" on one side, and emblem shrine on the other. Return to A. Reichelderfer, 71 public square. 84-3t*

THE IDLER.

About all the base ball that Lima was permitted to enjoy yesterday, was played out of town, and it would be a difficult matter to estimate the number of people who took advantage of excursions, and the electric line. A game had been arranged between the north end Stars, and a team composed of students of the business college, but the latter failed to materialize. The excuse was that it looked like rain, but as there was just about as much probability of a snow storm, the Stars have a right to another opinion.

The postmasters of Northwestern Ohio, will meet in Toledo, next Tuesday, incidentally to consider questions looking to the betterment of the service, and particularly to have certain things made clear to them by Hanna.

Fred Van Norman, who has been in the employ of the past several years of the Lima Electric Railway Co., has gone to Cleveland, to accept a position with the Cleveland Electric Railway Company.

JACKSON SITUATION EASIER.

Jackson, Mich., May 18.—The labor situation here, where 2,000 men employed in the building trades have been locked out for the past week, was materially relieved today when the employers reopened their shops and continued work on their contracts. There are still, however, 300 laborers on strike, who demand an increase from \$1.75 to \$2.00 per day.

GIANTS

Retrieved Their Lost Scalps.

Defeated Maxwell Brothers' Americans, Sunday.

Colored Lads Scored the Winning Run, After Two Men Were Out in Ninth Inning.

The Lima Giants retrieved their lost scalps in a game with Maxwell Bros. Americans on the Vine street grounds yesterday afternoon, the score standing 11 to 10 when the last of the ninth inning closed.

The game started off somewhat one-sided, the score standing 9 to 2 in favor of the Americans at the close of the 5th inning. In the sixth, however, the colored lads held Maxwell Bros. men down to 1 run and then, upon going to the bat, "lambasted" Neeland for 6 runs. The Giants gained one run in each of the three remaining innings, bringing in the final and winning run in the last half of the 9th, after two men were out. The score:

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9
Americans.....1 0 1 4 3 7 0 6 10
Giants.....0 0 1 0 1 6 1 1 11
Batteries—Americans, Neeland and Johnson; Giants, Fountain and Harrison.

The Americans will secure another reputation before they go to Pittsburg to beat the smokey city's National league team.

HEART TROUBLE

Caused the Death of Mrs. Stedke Yesterday.

Mrs. Elizabeth Stedke, of 377 north McDonell street, passed away yesterday afternoon, death resulting from heart trouble. The deceased was 32 years of age, and had been failing in health for some time.

Funeral will be held from the residence tomorrow morning, at 9 o'clock and interment will be made in Woodlawn cemetery.

SWITCH

Was Thrown Before Train Had Passed

And Two Cars on the Accommodation Were Sent Off the Rails.

No. 9, the C. H. & D. accommodation, was wrecked at Wapakoneta, on Saturday evening, but it fortunately resulted in injury to no one, and caused damage to the road which will not foot up more than \$25. The train was not running at full speed, but, at an inopportune moment, the switch was thrown, and the two last cars on the train were swerved from their course, turning crossways on the track. There were a number of passengers on board, but, aside from an uncomfortable shaking up, there was not even a bruise to record. The wreck crew was sent down, and the damage was repaired in short order. No 19 reached Lima at midnight, about three hours late.

SEVERE

Injury Sustained by an 18-Year-Old Lad.

Was Thrown on a Road Crossing in Alighting From a Rapidly Moving Freight Train.

L. Zimmerman, the eighteen year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. J. Zimmerman, of 945 north West street, boarded a west bound freight train on the P. Ft. W. & C. early yesterday afternoon, to go with a companion, to a wood, some distance west of the city. The train attained a high rate of speed and when he alighted at a road crossing, he was thrown upon a crossing plank with violent force. His left collar bone sustained a compound fracture, and his face was badly cut and bruised. His injuries were attended by Dr. Bice, and he was removed to his home in a cab.

S. W. VETERANS. The Spanish war veterans will hold a session for the initiation of several candidates tonight. All members are urged to be present.

UNDERTAKER

From Spencerville a Patient at the Hospital.

Charles Miller, a funeral director from Spencerville, is a patient at the city hospital, having been admitted to that institution for a surgical operation for ear trouble. His condition is considered favorable.

CLUB MEETING DATES.

The Auld Lang Syne Circle will meet this evening with Dr. Will Bates of south Main street.
The T. & T. club will be entertained by Mr. and Mrs. T. A. McLaughlin Friday evening, May 22.
The Coterie will meet tomorrow afternoon with Mrs. Timothy Shroyer.

DRANK LYE

And as Result Child Died of Starvation.

Akron, O., May 18.—Charles F. Wernet, aged 3 years, son of Mrs. Mary Wernet, died here today of starvation. Two months ago the little fellow drank the contents of a cup of lye, and since that time has been unable to take any nourishment, literally starving to death.

SUMMONS CAME

To a Lima Daughter in Wisconsin.

Word was received here yesterday of the death of Mrs. Jeannette Hartley, on Saturday, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Ida Barker, at Racine, Wisconsin. Mrs. Hartley will be remembered by the older residents of Lima, as the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Miles Wadhams. The remains will be brought here for burial in Woodlawn, and will reach Lima, at 4:30 tomorrow, over the C. & D., and will be accompanied by the daughter, Mrs. Barker, who will be the guest of Mrs. W. E. Crayton, on Greenlawn avenue, while here.

NOTICE W. R. C.

The Woman's Relief Corps will meet Tuesday evening, May 19th. A full attendance is requested. By order of the President.

REASON

Given for Recent Reduction in Crude Price.

A Member of Producers' Co. Gives a Logical Explanation for the Decline.

The Pittsburg Dispatch, in commenting on the fall in the price of crude, which came Saturday, says:
The surprise for oil producers came at the very close of the week and was anticipated by none. It was just as well, for a cut in the credit balance market would not have been pleasant to contemplate. The surprise came Saturday morning, when the purchasing agency opened and posted new quotations for credit balances as follows: Pennsylvania, \$1.50; North Lima, \$1.14; South Lima and Indiana, \$1.09; Whitehouse, \$1.20; Somerset, 95 cents; and Ragland, 62 cents. The cut of three and two cents on the higher grades was not expected, since the production is still below the consumption and no new fields of any consequence in sight. It is quite certain, when asking why the present cut, one will have to look elsewhere for the cause.
Mr. E. H. Jennings, who is closely identified with the management of the Producers' Pipe Line, its refineries and the Pure Oil Company, informed the writer early in the week that American refined was not meeting with very sharp competition abroad and the situation was becoming serious. In England, he said, Russian oil was selling for 20 per cent below the American product, and in the face of such competition it was scarcely to be expected that our market would advance, even though the conditions at home would seem to warrant an immediate appreciation in values. Coming as it does from so good an authority the statement and deduction made must carry weight.

WANTED!

GOOD MAN TO DRIVE A TEAM; STEADY WORK.

HARRY RUMPLE.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Miss Pearl Chapman, of Dayton, O., spent Sunday with friends in Lima.
Miss Kate Robb, of Mansfield, Minn.,

The Lima Dry Goods Co.

Store News.

A Sale of Turkish Bath Towels

The Luxury of the Luxurious Bath.

Saturday we received an immense quantity of the finest bath towels ever brought to this city. These towels were purchased direct from the makers at makers' prices thus enabling us to sell them at just about one-third less than others sell them for as we have avoid paying the jobbers' profits.

We can recommend these towels without reserve; all colors are guaranteed to be absolutely fast or we will refund your money without a question being asked. The towels are guaranteed to us, hence we are positive that you will be entirely satisfied with them.

Turkish Towels at the Prices of Ordinary Towels.

Excellent quality unbleached Turkish Bath Towels, size 18x34 at 10c each.	24x46 imitation linen unbleached Bath Towels special at 25c each.	22x48 fancy colored all linen Turkish Towels 50c each.	Fancy colored Turkish Bath Towels with knotted fringe 50c each.
Fine quality bleached Turkish Bath Towels, 21x49 inches, 12 1-2c each.	21x42 double finished Turkish Towel, linen on one side and cotton on the other, 35c each.	24x48 all linen unbleached Turkish Towels plain with fancy blue border 50c each.	Fancy colored Turkish Bath Mats, absolutely fast colors 25c each.
Extra quality bleached Turkish Towels with pink border, size 24x47, 25c each.	Extra large size unbleached imitation linen Turkish Towel special 35c each.	24x46 unbleached imitation linen Turkish Towel 35c each.	Fancy colored Bath Rugs 22x49 inches 50c each.
Large size 24x42 unbleached Turkish Bath Towels with fancy colored border, size 24x44 at 25c each.	Fine bleached Turkish Towel, double finished, size 22x49, 50c each.	Extra large size 28x54 all linen unbleached Turkish Towels with red border on sides and ends 75c each.	Variety of styles and colorings heavy weight medium size Bath Rugs 75c each.
Fine large unbleached fringed Bath Towels with fancy colored border, size 24x44 at 25c each.	22x44 all linen unbleached Turkish Towels 50c each.	20x50 (notice the size) all linen Turkish Towel peculiar knotty weave, special at 75c each.	Extra heavy weight fancy colored Bath Rugs large size \$1.00 and \$1.25 each.
Plain white Turkish Towels, size 24x43, extra quality; 25c each.	21x45 all linen hemstitched Turkish Towels, special at 50c each.	Very large size 34x64 all linen unbleached Turkish Bath Towel \$1.00 each.	300 dozen unbleached Turkish Wash Cloths, special for this sale at 3c each.
Fancy plaid Turkish Towels 25c each.	22x44 all linen Turkish Towel with fancy colored stripe, 50c each.		100 dozen hemmed and fringed Turkish Wash Cloths ready to use at 3c each.

Carroll & Cooney.

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Japanese Silk Waists.

Best and Cheapest on Earth.

Style No. 1, in Black and White,

32 to 42,

\$2.98.

Style No. 2, in Black and White,

all sizes,

\$3.98.

CARROLL & COONEY.

Your Spring Suit.—Have You Bought It?

If not, do not, until you have investigated

J. M. SPICER'S

Claims for his production in this line. The makers of his clothing took first premium for general excellence in dress garments at the Pan-American Exposition. They own their own plant—their shrinking and refolding machine alone, costing \$5,000. Not a garment is made or a stitch taken outside of their own building and shops. In addition to their wholesale business, they have the second largest retail merchant tailoring trade in the United States. Their retail work and my work is done in the same place, by the same help and in the same way. I will pay any reputable citizen of Lima ten dollars, who while in their city, will visit their plant, make a thorough inspection of it, and state under oath what he saw. They have an improvement in their coats in the way of stays and bridges that gives them that much desired concave effect in "front," and prevents sagging down and away from neck. Call and let us show you this feature. Suits \$15.00 to \$40.00. A liberal reduction made to ministers. We sell on payments to worthy parties.

STORE, HOLMES BLOCK, 3rd FLOOR.

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Removed from Y. M. C. A. Building.

is the guest of her mother, Mrs. S. M. Robb, in this city.

Born—to Mr. and Mrs. J. Bowden, of 146 north West street, a daughter. The little lady weighs 8 pounds.
J. W. Blackburn left today for Marietta and Cambridge, where, as a special deputy, appointed by the Grand Chancellor of the state, he will exemplify the unwritten work of the K. of P. order before the lodges of those cities.

RELIGIOUS EXILES

Flocking to This Country to Escape Persecution.

New York, May 18.—The French line steamer La Champagne, which arrived today from Havre, brought 64 religious exiles from France, four sisters and 60 brothers, the latter, with two exceptions being young students. Forty-six of the latter go to Metuchen, N. J., the others will go to Montreal.

SANTA MARIA DEVASTED.

Manila, May 18.—A hurricane devastated Santa Maria, Bulacan Luzon, on Saturday. Earth shocks were felt and during the passage of the storm, the great stone barracks collapsed, killing one and injuring seven native scouts.

SNOW IN MONTANNA.

Helena, Mont., May 18.—The great portion of Montana is covered with snow to a depth of from two to ten inches, and it is still falling. Sheepmen are the only ones who have reason to fear losses, because of the storm.

AT DORSEY'S.

Flour—Golden Lace, Silver Star.	1.00
Sidney, Ada and Bluffton, 1st.	1.00
20 lbs. granulated sugar	1.00
Lion, Arbuckle and XXXX coffee	.10
3 cans tomatoes	.25
3 cans corn	.25
3 cans peas	.25
3 cans wax beans	.25
3 cans string beans	.25
3 cans pie peaches	.25
3 cans pumpkin	.25
3 pkgs. None Such minc meat	.25
3 pkgs. seeded raisins	.25
3 pkgs. cleaned currants	.25
3 lbs. good peaches	.25
3 lbs. good apricots	.25
3 lbs. best prunes	.25
3 lbs. good prunes	.25
4 lbs. evaporated apples	.25
1 can fancy Bartlett peas	.10
2 cans best table peaches	.25
2 cans best apricots	.25
3 cans good salmon	.25
3 ten-cent bottles catsup	.25
10 bars good laundry soap	.25
6 pkgs. all scrap tobacco	.25
3 ten-cent cuts any plug tobacco	.25

FATE

That Was Deserved Met Bull Fight Watchers.

Amphitheater Seats Collapse and Twelve Scores of Brutality Were Killed.

London, May 18.—A special dispatch from Madrid, announces that during a bull fight yesterday, at Alcala, the amphitheater collapsed and twelve persons were killed and fifty were injured. Several women and children were among the victims.

COLLAPSE OF BALCONY

Caused the Death of One, and Serious Injury to Two Others.

Fall River, Mass., May 18.—One woman was killed and two persons severely injured by the collapse of a veranda, on the third story of a house on King Philip street. Five others who were on the veranda at the time, had miraculous escapes from injury. The dead woman is Mrs. Vitaline Vergerson, and the injured are Mrs. Octave Frenette, and Eugene Vergerson. The party of 8 were seated on the veranda, when it collapsed without warning. Miss Josephine Croteau succeeded in clinging to a portion of the broken platform—but the other seven were precipitated to the veranda at

the second story. The force of contact broke the rail on this balcony, and Mrs. Vergerson, Mrs. Frenette, Eugene Vergerson and Alfred Vergerson, the last, 70 years old, rolled over the edge and into the yard 30 feet below. Mrs. Vergerson's skull was fractured, and she died while being carried to the house. Eugene Vergerson, and Mrs. Frenette were unconscious, but Alfred escaped without any apparent ill effect. The three who succeeded in holding on to the second veranda, had nothing more than slight bruises, and Miss Croteau was rescued without injury.

STEADY GROWTH IN IMMIGRATION.

The Land of the Free Being Flooded With Aliens. Predicted This Month Will Witness Incoming of 100,000.

New York, May 18.—Immigration continues on the increase for the 17 days of May this year, 50,077 aliens passed through Ellis Island, as against 45,486 last year, and 36,371 in the same period of 1901. This is an increase of 5,221 over the same period last year, and 23,000 are expected this week, and the last week in May promises to be unusually large. It is predicted that the month will show fully 100,000 as against 81,000 last year.

WEARY OF BODY, HUNGRY FOR FOOD

A Tramp Seeking Alms Fell Over Balustrade and Was Impaled on Picket. Small Hope for Recovery.

Newark, N. J., May 18.—Thomas Collins, a tramp, arrived here after a long journey, nearly dead from fatigue and hunger. To get something to eat, he began to beg along the streets, asking for something to eat at the back doors of houses. After numerous refusals, he decided to try the front doors, and with a great effort dragged himself up the stoop of a large house in a fashionable district. After resting a few seconds, Collins pushed the electric

GETTING READY.

The Jeffries-Corbett Fight Fixed For August.

Oakland, Calif., May 18.—Jim Jeffries has arrived here. A representative of the champion will meet Jim Corbett this afternoon, to sign the articles for the coming match, and to pass upon the two offers of the Yosemite club. One is a flat offer of \$20,000 and the other a division of the gross receipts. Present indications are that the fight will be held about the middle of August.

A Farmer Straightened Out.

"A man living on a farm near here came in a short time ago completely doubled up with rheumatism. I handed him a bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm and told him to use it freely and it not satisfied after using it, he need not pay a cent for it," says C. P. Rayder, of Pottsville, N. Y. "A few days later he walked into the store as straight as a string and handed me a dollar saying, 'give me another bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm. I want it in the house all the time for it cured me.'" For sale by Mm. M. Melville, old postoffice corner.

OBITUARY.

Jonathan Dillsaver, was born in Fairfield county, Ohio, Feb. 8, 1828, and died at the home of his son, Geo. in Allen county, Ohio, May 15th, 1903. At the age of 6 years, he, with his parents, moved to Sugar Creek township, Allen county, Ohio, and in 1860 came to Marion township, where he resided until death. In these places he endured the trials and hardships of a pioneer life.

On Dec. 14, 1851, he was united in marriage with Miss Malinda Shope, of German township, this county, to which union were born 13 children, of whom Elizabeth, William, Rachael, Matilda, Mary E., and Amanda, are deceased; John, Rebecca, Simon, George, Lucinda, Susan, and Noah, are left, together with 20 grandchildren, and 3 great grand children. To mourn his departure. Mr. Dillsaver was bereft of his companion, Nov. 23, 1873, then on July 30, 1874, he married Malinda E. Manker. Sept. 28, 1887, he was left to mourn the loss of a second wife.

Later, he married Mrs. Anna List, who preceded him to the eternal world, having departed this life, Jan. 28, 1896.

At his country's call, Sept. 24, 1864, Mr. Dillsaver joined Company A, 33rd regiment, in which he served until June 8, 1865, when he was discharged at camp Dennison. He was severely wounded near Gillsboro, which caused him much affliction.

He lived a consistent Christian, in the Lutheran church, having served in the capacity of deacon and trustee.

The God of the universe was his God. We mourn today, but not as those who have no hope. Father has gone to the glorified shore, and no doubt is standing today, in the presence of his Savior, companions, and children, beckoning the rest to come.

The toils of life are past. Father's work on earth is done. The summons came at last. And Jesus beckoned come.

Father, dear, we all shall miss thee. As through this earth we tread. Thy face on earth, no more we see. 'Tis resting with the dead.

Thy hands did toil to save us. From perils of want and woe. Much good advice thou gave us. For which, we love thee so.

Good bye! it is with mourning; The way to our home lies straight; We'll enter it, some in the morning. Some in the evening late.

You never heard of any one using Foley's Honey and Tar and not being satisfied. Sold by H. F. Vorkamp, corner Main and North streets.

Night Time IS THE Right Time

If you are nervous and can't sleep, to take a cup of

WRIGHT'S CELERY TEA

It quiets the nerves and brings refreshing sleep. It renews strength and vigor. 25 cents and 50 cents a box, druggists or by mail.

WRIGHT MEDICAL CO. Columbus, Ohio.



Lady Performers are Admired.

Whether the spectator be a lass from the farm or a belle from the social set, she is sure to admire the lady performers with the great Wallace Shows, which will exhibit in Lima, Tuesday, May 19.

In the circus ring is one place where a woman has an equal chance with her male companion. As a rule, she draws a higher salary, receives the greatest applause and more commendations from the management, than does the male performer. Notwithstanding their high salaries and the scarcity of performers worthy of being featured with a show of the magnitude of the Great Wallace Show, probably more lady performers can be seen with that show than with any other six shows.

At the head of the large number, stands beautiful Blanche Reed, one of the half dozen acrobatic equestriennes, who have attained eminence as a bareback rider. Her routine or repertoire of feats and evolutions is so varied, that she can completely change her act at every performance for days at a time. In all, she does there is naught that is commonplace. She scorns the ordinary and abhors the conventional. In the vernacular, she begins where the others leave off, and ends with an unapproachable achievement of acrobatic agility that is apparently unattainable, and past belief unless seen with one's own eyes.

REASONS WHY.

This Lima Citizen's Statement is Reliable.

He lives in Lima. He can be interviewed at any time. He relates facts, positive facts. Investigation is courted.

Mr. M. C. Rouson, of 242 south Pine street, says: "In the summer of 1899, I procured Doan's Kidney Pills, at W. M. Melville's drug store, and took a course of treatment. My kidneys and back for years, caused me untold suffering. Doan's Kidney Pills cured me. Today I have had no reason to change my opinion for during the time which has elapsed, I have been free from kidney complaint or any of its consequences."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no substitute.

WEATHER FORECAST.

Washington, May 18.—For Ohio: fair tonight; Tuesday, fair, except showers and cooler in northwest portion.

IMPORTANT SCIENTIFIC DISCOVERY.

A Clinical Preparation that Positively Kills the Dandruff Germ.

A most important discovery has been made after a year's patient laboratory work aimed in a certain direction. It is Newbro's Herpicide, a preparation that cures baldness, prevents falling hair, and speedily and permanently eradicates dandruff. These evils are caused by a germ or parasite that burrows into the scalp, throwing up dandruff, as it seeks to sap the life of the hair at the root. There's no baldness without falling or thin hair, no thin hair without dandruff if the germ is destroyed. Newbro's Herpicide is the only preparation that will do the work. "Destroy the cause, you remove the effect."

Send 10 cents in stamps for sample. The Herpicide Co., Detroit, Mich. For sale by Wm. M. Melville, druggist.

AT LIMA, Tuesday, May 19



The Greatest, Grandest and the Best of America's Big Tented Enterprises! Three Rings, Two Stages, Half-mile Race Track. Scores of Original Features: One Hundred Phenomenal Acts, 25 Clowns; 20 Hurricane Races; 10,000 Seats; One Million Dollar Menagerie of 50 dens; Proves of Camels; Herds of Elephants.

THE FAMOUS, DA COMAS TROUPE



PERFECTION PERSONIFIED IN AERIALISTIC DARING.

Unrivalled Performers; Unmatched Features: Astonishing Acts of Educated Animals; a small army of Active, Jolly Clowns. The \$1,000,000 Menagerie includes the LARGEST HIPPOPOTAMUS IN CAPTIVITY, and rare and costly beasts and fowls from every clime.

THE CHILDREN'S DEPARTMENT, original with this show, comprises a score of handsome miniature cages filled with curious animals, and a drove of 125 Shetland Ponies.

Wallace's Circus Day Program.

10 A. M.—THE GRAND STREET PARADE. A unique combination of Glorious Street Carnival, Spectacular Street Fair, a Zoological Display, Horse Fair and Glittering Pageants.

1 and 7 P. M.—DOORS OPEN to the women's Waterproof Tents.

1:15 and 7:15 P. M.—PROF. BRONSON'S CONCERT BAND of Renowned Soloist Musicians begins a 45 minute Grand Concert on the center stage.

2 and 8 P. M.—All-Feature Performance begins, comprising: Multitudinous, Overwhelming, Indescribable Gymnic, Acrobatic, Spectacular, Aerial, Trained Animal, Hippodromatic Feats.

The South Side Lumber Yard.

Located at Tanner Avenue and C. & E. Railway.

Have a full stock of all kinds of Lumber, Sash, Doors, Mouldings, and Interior Finish.

Let us submit estimates on your requirements. Our stock is good and prices right.

The South Side Lumber Yard, D. C. DUNN, Proprietor.

Old Phone, 142 Union. New Phone, No. 5.



Home Work is Hard Work without GOLD DUST.

ERIE RAILROAD

Time card in effect Sept. 21, 1902 from Lima, Ohio.

TRAIN WEST.	DEPART.
3 Vestibule limited, daily for Chicago and the West	11:35 am
7 Pacific Express, daily for Chicago and the West	1:08 am
21 Express, daily except Sunday, for Huntington and the West	6:08 pm
13 West Fargo limited Express, daily except Monday	3:57 pm
33 Local Freight, arrives	11:35 am
TRAIN EAST.	DEPART.
4 Vestibule limited, daily for New York and Boston	4:33 pm
22 Express, daily except Sunday, for New York	3:46 pm
14 Daily except Sunday	9:32 pm
32 Local freight for Marion	12:20 pm
No. 13 will not run on days following legal holidays.	
B. H. SIMPSON, Agent.	
W. R. MORRISON, Trav. Pass. Agent.	
Marion, Ohio.	

LOCAL TIME CARD.

COLUMBUS SHORT LINE.

Three trains each way, Chicago & Erie and Hocking Valley.

LEAVE LIMA.	ARRIVE COLUMBUS.
3:40 am	6:50 am
8:21 am	11:30 am
4:33 pm	8:40 pm
LEAVE COLUMBUS.	ARRIVE LIMA.
8:45 am	11:35 am
6:00 pm	8:40 pm
7:00 pm	1:08 am

Erie trains 22 and 21 permit 2 hours and thirty minutes at Columbus, arriving at Lima in time for supper.

E. H. SIMPSON, Agent.

C. H. & D. RAILROAD.

SOUTH BOUND.

No. 7 Daily, leaves	2:10 pm
No. 11 Daily, ex. Sunday, leaves	2:30 pm
No. 1 Daily, ex. Sunday, leaves	8:55 am
No. 5 Daily, leaves	12:41 pm
No. 9 Daily, leaves	4:40 pm
No. 13 Daily, leaves	6:10 pm
No. 13 Daily, ex. Sunday, arrives only	6:35 pm
No. 13 Daily, ex. Sunday, arrives only	6:35 pm
No. 65 Sunday	6:50 am
NORTH BOUND.	
No. 12 Daily, leaves	2:30 pm
No. 14 Daily, leaves	2:50 pm
No. 2 Daily, ex. Sunday, leaves	8:40 am
No. 6 Daily, leaves	11:37 am
No. 4 Daily, ex. Sunday, leaves	4:40 pm
No. 8 Daily, leaves	6:00 pm
No. 10 Daily, ex. Sunday, arrives only	6:00 pm
No. 68 Sunday only, leaves	7:45 am
No. 68 Sunday only, arrives only	8:00 am

P. F. W. & C.

IN EFFECT DECEMBER 14th, 1902.	
No. 1 Pgh. special, daily	12:48 am
4 Pgh. & N. Y. daily	7:25 am
36 Crestline accom. daily ex. Sun.	9:05 am
22 Alliance accom. daily ex. Sun.	2:50 pm
20 New York special, daily	3:35 pm
8 Pgh. & N. Y. daily	9:30 pm
2 Limited Express, daily	10:45 pm
18 Chgo. & West, daily	1:53 am
21 Chgo. & West, daily	8:44 am
38 Chgo. & West, daily, ex. Sunday	2:45 pm
9 Chgo. & West, daily	9:45 pm
36 Ft. Wayne accom. daily ex. Sun.	5:20 pm

DETROIT SOUTHERN.

Time of trains passing Lima, Ohio.

SOUTH BOUND.	
No. 1, leaves	2:15 pm
No. 3, leaves	8:00 am
NORTH BOUND.	
No. 2, arrives	10:55 am
No. 4, arrives	8:30 pm

All trains daily except Sunday, except in the southern divisions, Nos. 1 and 2, daily between Lima and Baltimore.

Train No. 1 leaves Port station, Union station, Detroit, at 8:35 a. m., Adrian 11:40 a. m., Napoleon 12:30 p. m., Hamlet 12:45 p. m., Leipsic 1:10 p. m., Ottawa 1:20 p. m., also 1:57 p. m., Unionville 2:48 p. m., Jackson Center 3:02 p. m., Quincy 4:00 p. m., St. Paris 5:06 p. m., Springfield 4:55 p. m., arrives at Baltimore 6:00 a. m.

Train No. 2 leaves Baltimore 6:00 a. m., Springfield 6:35 a. m., St. Paris 6:45 a. m., Jackson Center 7:03 a. m., Unionville 7:15 a. m., Leipsic 7:42 a. m., Napoleon 8:12 a. m., Hamlet 8:25 a. m., Ottawa 8:35 a. m., also 8:40 a. m., St. Paris 9:45 a. m., Jackson Center 10:35 a. m., Quincy 11:37 a. m., arrives at Port station 12:00 p. m.

Train No. 3 leaves Port station 1:15 p. m., Springfield 1:50 p. m., Washington 4:10 p. m., South Charleston 5:20 p. m., Springfield 6:00 p. m., Jackson Center 6:35 p. m., St. Paris 6:45 p. m., arrives at Lima 7:25 p. m., St. Johns 7:40 p. m., arrives at Lima 8:30 p. m.

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You can eat what you please. 'Twill be digested with ease.

No distress will be caused, Be obeying nature's laws,

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CALIFORNIA PRUNE WAFERS.

In order that you may learn and benefit from a closer acquaintance with this wonderful discovery, it has been arranged with the following well known Lima Druggist, so that if you will call at his store on SATURDAY, MAY 8th, you will be given a free sample. Now don't forget the date.

(CALL EARLY AS SUPPLIES ARE LIMITED.)

W. M. MELVILLE, Old Post Office Corner.

CHASE

Has Been of Long Duration

But the End

Brings Roll Slocum Back to Lima.

Arrest Was Made at Quincy, Ill., and an Officer Is Sent After Him.

Charged With Embezzlement, Slocum Must Explain Alleged Use of Money Which He Had Not Honestly Earned.

Roll Slocum, the erstwhile gallant, who will be readily recalled by a large number of acquaintances, is under arrest at Quincy, Ill., on the charge of embezzlement. There is a long story back of Slocum's alleged violation of confidence, and it reaches even beyond the present muddle in which he finds himself. The interest, however, centers in his present arrest and confidence in the jail at Quincy.

Complaint was made that Slocum, who was employed by the Johnson coffee house, of New York city, had made two free use of the company's funds and had embezzled, as near as calculation can be made, the sum of \$250. At the time of the discrepancy, Slocum was working for the branch house, which is located at Dayton, under the management of W. H. Ashton, who is a visitor in Lima today. The latter makes the statement that Slocum did good work on the road, but was too fond of being a "first rate fellow," and used money which he had collected for the company in carrying out his desires.

The end came when it was least expected and, to avoid arrest, Slocum got out of town and covered up his identity. In the meantime the grand jury of Allen county returned an indictment and after keeping the officers in various cities on his trail, finally located him at Quincy, where Mrs. Slocum it at the present time conducting a boarding house. Deputy Sheriff Freet will leave this afternoon to bring the prisoner home.

Sued For Damages. A \$5,000 damage suit has been brought by John Graham against Hen-

ry C. Adgate. John P. Kerr representing the plaintiff, states in the petition that a farm hand, employed by the defendant, left a team of horses standing in the highway, and they ran off, plunging into a boggy occupied by the plaintiff. He was thrown out and suffered a broken arm and wrist, in addition to a badly injured leg.

Real Estate Transfers. Anna E. Marmon to Anna H. Sanford, lot 3769, \$1.

Daniel Friend to Abram Ashbaugh, 10 acres of land in Marion township, \$1,200.

Allie Wright to Grant W. Biner lot in Thomas Braher's addition, \$1,555.

FOR AUSTRIA

Mr. and Mrs. John S. O'Connor Started Today.

Mr. and Mrs. John S. O'Connor left this morning for New York and will then sail on board the Germanic White Star Line, for Liverpool. Upon their arrival there, they will proceed to Austria, where they go to accompany their brother, Rev. Joseph A. O'Connor, to America. Father O'Connor has just completed his course at the famous seminary at Innsbruck, Austria, and upon his arrival here, he will be assigned to a charge by Bishop Horstman, in the Cleveland diocese.

REMAINS

Of Mrs. Cora Roberts Laid to Rest Yesterday.

The funeral of Mrs. Cora Roberts, wife of Lewis R. Roberts, of Sugar Creek township, was held at 1:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon from the congregational church at Gomer, and the services were attended by a large number of the friends and relatives of the bereaved family. The services were conducted by the Rev. Sowers, pastor of the M. E. church, at West Cairo, who was assisted by the Rev. Mr. Roberts, of Gomer. The deceased was aged 23 years and 3 days and is survived by her husband, one son, Lloyd, three brothers, one sister and her mother. She was united with the Bethel Grove M. E. church, when 11 years of age. Tuberculosis was the cause of her death.

WANTED!

GOOD MAN TO DRIVE A TEAM; STEADY WORK. HARRY RUMPLE.

If there is one time more than another that a woman looks like a real angel it is after completing a course of Rocky Mountain Tea. Brings back that girlish beauty. For sale by H. F. Vorkamp, corner North and Main streets.

WON'T

You Come Home Bill Bailey

Is a Popular

Song Which the Boys Are Familiar With.

Don't Like Long Absences Which New Situation Requires.

Trips Which Keep Them Away for a Week Run Up a Pay Roll, But "All is Not Gold That Glitters."

A situation prevails on this section of the C. H. & D., which is giving the head of the trainmen's department not a little trouble. A representative of the Times made a persistent effort to get at the facts, and found but little trouble in verifying the rumor that the company is having great difficulty in securing, and holding, enough firemen to run its trains.

It is not a question of wages, but one which has to do with long absences from home, because of the manner in which the road was cut up into new divisions. It was only a few months ago, that the north division of the road extended from Toledo to Dayton, and the southern division from Dayton to Cincinnati. The north end men, as they are still called, had their runs so laid out that they could be at home at least once in twenty-four hours, but under the present arrangement, to quote one of the employees, "we sometimes get home for a little visit."

The divisions were changed when Supt. Gordon, of the D. & S. division, was brought from Wellston and located at Dayton, where he was given supervision over the main branch from Lima to Cincinnati. Supt. Floeter's division was cut in two, and he has control of the 70 miles between Lima and Toledo, but the Findlay, Ft. Wayne and Western branch was attached to his office.

This change has brought about the difficulty which is openly complained of. To illustrate, an engineer or fireman may leave Lima today with a train for Dayton. Arriving there, he may find himself scheduled as "first out" and merely changes from his engine to one ready to depart for Cincinnati. He may next find it his luck to take a north bound train to Hamilton, and be held there for another, back to Cincinnati. In this manner, an engineman, with a family living in Lima, has not infrequently been kept away from home for a week, doing work on the south division. He has no complaint to make about wages, or the opportunity to get in a good mileage for the work, but, as one of the boys said, yesterday, "it is not all gold we are after."

The effect of this change has been to create a scarcity of firemen, and it was only a day or two ago, that the accommodation, No. 9, had to be held in Lima for the best part of an hour, because of the failure to secure a fireman to feed the engine. On another occasion, a train arrived at Piqua, and when ready to leave, the fireman, with his bundle of clothes and dinner pail, had suddenly disappeared. On this occasion, the rear brakeman was called to the engine, and helped the train through to Dayton.

The explanation is offered, from an official source, that what, in this respect, is considered a hardship by the men, is made necessary on account of heavy traffic, and the inability to secure sufficient help. There are frequent applications made by a roving class, who make a few trips and then duck out, without the least warning as to their intentions. It would not help the matter any if families were to be moved from Lima, to other points on the line, as no man knows, from day to day, between what towns he will be steering, unless he has a regular run, which lands him at home at a certain hour, or gives him the opportunity to deadhead it.

FELDMANN & CO.

Walking Skirts at \$2.75 that will prove the greatest value you've ever seen. They're this season's choicest styles in all the prevailing colors. A good portion of them are our \$5 skirts—better skirts than are ordinarily sold for \$5.00.

Other Walking Skirts, thoroughly up-to-date styles, the product of the best makers at \$1.98, 3.98, 5.00, 5.98, 7.50, 8.50, 10.00, 11.50 and 12.50.

Splendid Dress Skirts at \$5. 5.98, 6.50, 7.50, 8.98, 10.00, 11.75, 12.50 and 15.00. Also neat garments at \$2.50, 3.98 and 4.50.

Our waist styles are original and exclusive. They have a chicness so much appreciated by good dressers and so seldom found in waists sold by the average store. Surprisingly nice White Lawn and Mercerized Waists at 98c, \$1.25, 1.50, 1.75, 1.98, 2.50, 2.98, 3.50, 3.98 and 5.00.

Beautifully made fine Japanese Silk Waists at \$2.98, 3.50, 3.98 and 5.00.

The time is here to put your parasol on duty. If you haven't the parasol, come and see the pretty creations in white and color combinations at \$1. 1.25, 1.50, 1.75, 1.98, 2.50, 2.75, 2.98, 3.50, 3.98, 5.00, 6.00 and 8.00, a great variety of styles to choose from. Neat Parasols for children at 15c, 25c, 35c, 39c, 50c, 75c, 85c, 98c, \$1.25, 1.50 and 1.98.

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For Hosiery.
For Underwear.
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The Latest Creation in Waists and Separate Skirts.

Hundreds of styles of new waists in all materials. This is good time to buy for the line is complete.

Neat white lawn waists, front is trimmed with cluney lace at \$1.00.

Elegant style new white lawn waist, handsome cluney lace trimming at \$1.38.

India Linon waists, dainty trimmings of lace and embroidery at \$1.00 to \$5.00.

New line of fancy madras white waists, neat figures at \$1.00 to \$2.25.

Stylish lot of oxford waists, pleated front and back at \$1.25 to \$2.25.

Greatest bargain in peau de soie and taffeta skirts ever shown.

Peau de soie dress skirts, elegant styles at \$10.00, worth up to \$15.00.

Peau de soie and taffeta skirts, value \$15.00 and \$18.00, for \$12.50.

Peau de soie and taffeta skirts, elegant silk drop, neatly trimmed, worth \$25.00 and \$30.00, for \$15.00 and \$18.00.

Dress and walking skirts of cheviot, mohair and venetian cloth, black and blue, nicely made and splendid values at \$5.00, \$6.50, \$7.50, \$10.00 and \$12.00.

SPECIAL SILK SALE.

(First Floor Front.)

Tomorrow we put on sale one hundred choice styles of summer silks, 75c and \$1.00 values for 58c. A silk bargain that ought not to be overlooked. They come in plain shades with pin dots, narrow stripes and fancy, all new and correct colorings. 58c. Do not miss this bargain. 58c.

Dress Goods.

Suit House.

55-57 Public Square.

BOUND OVER

On Charge of Stealing Natural Gas

Proprietress of the Pony House Arrested.

The Case Is One of Several Alleged Gas Stealing Offenses Which the Gas Company Intends to Prosecute.

An affidavit was filed in Judge Mowen's court Saturday charging Frankie Scalls, proprietress of the Pony house, a Pennsylvania avenue resort, with stealing natural gas. The woman was arrested by stable boy, and when arraigned before Justice Mowen, she pleaded guilty, waived the right of a preliminary examination and was bound over to the grand jury. She furnished bond in the sum of \$100.

Representatives of the Gas Co. who instituted the case against the Scalls woman, allege that the company alleged the gas supply to be shut off at the Pony house, and that they afterwards found two stoves to have been connected up and the gas again turned on again, without their knowledge or consent. The company intends to institute a number of prosecutions for similar alleged offenses.

Mme. Ratozzi, the noted beauty and singer, says: "My face is much favored the rose deepens in my cheeks, my eyes grow brighter since taking Rocky Mountain Tea, 35 cents. For sale by H. F. Vorkamp, corner North and Main streets.

SUMMER GYMNASTICS.

The summer term of the business men's gymnasium class will begin this afternoon. The work through the warm months will consist principally of wrestling, boxing, games, and indoor dual work. The greater part of attention will be paid to the recreation features, basket ball, volley ball, hand ball, etc.

All members of the class are urged to attend during these months in order to be in good condition for the opening of the fall term.

JEWELRY STORE

Of M. U. Basinger Opens to the Public Tomorrow.

This very progressive city is to have another jewelry store, and from all indications, it will be one of the most complete in this part of the state. Mr. M. U. Basinger, is the proprietor and his elegant location is at the northwest corner of the square. Mr. Basinger's many friends wish him much success.

J. B. Child, L. C. Maxwell, Clifford Resor, Walter S. Parks and W. R. Probasco.

The directors organized by electing William Ramsey Probasco president, Walter S. Parks vice president and J. B. Child secretary.

Erie Innovation.

The innovation introduced by the Erie a short time ago by the creation of an officer to be known as the industrial commissioner is soon to bear fruit. Lewis Jackson has been appointed to fill the office and will immediately enter upon his duties. These will include every possible effort to secure the location of industrial concerns along the line of his road, the colonization of sections not at present sufficiently thickly settled and similar work.

Along All Lines.

A special train bearing third vice-president, J. J. Turner, of the Pennsylvania, with several division officials passed through this city, east bound, Saturday.

Tomorrow, the Lake Erie and Western will put four or five work trains in service on the Fort Wayne branch, ballasting and otherwise bettering the road. It is quite likely that as many engine crews will be made by advancing some of the firemen and hiring other men to take the vacant places. A number of laborers will also be needed. The Ft. Wayne branch of the system, which has not received very much attention up to date, is to be brought to the excellent standard of the Lake Erie and Western, as a whole.

An inspection car and locomotive, which has recently been put into service by the Lake Shore is a novelty. It is designed for use in making inspection, says the Toledo Blade.

It is a combined locomotive and passenger coach. This is accomplished by extending the cab of the engine forward to the end of the boiler.

Every feature of the machine is arranged to give the party traveling in her, the best view possible of the road. The front of the long cab is an immense observatory, with room for fifteen or twenty passengers. The engineer and fireman's compartment is in the rear of the cab. By a signal rope the official in charge of the party can control the speed of the engine.

Inside and out, No. 30, as it is named, is finished in good taste, and at considerable expense. It has brass fittings and all of the rods are polished, instead of painted. The steps, which lead from either side of the pilot, have highly polished brass railings and ornaments. The cab is up-